

## Message Text

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ACTION AF-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 OC-06 CCO-00 /017 W  
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R 210549Z FEB 78  
FM AMEMBASSY GABORONE  
TO USIA WASHDC

AMEMBASSY MASERU  
INFO AMEMBASSY PRETORIA  
SECSTATE WASHDC 1633

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USIAC  
AGENCY FOR ASSISTANT DIRECTOR HEDGES  
STATE FOR AF/SKMCCORMICK

E.O.11652: N/A  
SUBJECT: WIRELESS FILE

REF: (A) USIA 3931 CIRCULAR (B) GABORONE 0063 (C) PRETORIA 6806  
(D) PRETORIA 6632 (E) PRETORIA 0761

1. DESPITE ALMOST DAILY CONSULTATION WITH LOCAL P AND T PLUS  
CALLS TO PRETORIA TELECOMMUNICATIONS, WIRELESS FILE RECEPTION  
HAS BEEN EITHER NON-EXISTENT OR UNINTELLIGIBLE FOR MORE THAN  
ONE MONTH.
2. AWARE THAT PROBLEM LAY ELSEWHERE THAN IN LANDLINE TRANSMISSION  
FROM PRETORIA TO GABORONE, WE WELCOMED PRETORIA SUGGESTION  
(REFTEL C) THAT AGENCY INSTALL RTTY EQUIPMENT IN MASERU AND GABORONE  
TO MINIMIZE RECEPTION PROBLEMS.
3. WE NOTE THAT RADIO RECEIVING UNIT BEING SHIPPED TO MASERU  
SHORTLY (REFTEL A) IF THIS IS MOST EXPEDITIOUS WAY OF SOLVING  
PROBLEM -- WHICH IS IDENTICAL TO THAT OF GABORONE - -POST REQUESTS  
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THAT AGENCY CONSIDER INSTALLING SIMILAR UNIT HERE.  
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## Message Attributes

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